CALTRANS OFFICE OF EXAMINATION SERVICES

Senior Landscape Architect, Caltrans – 8TR45 Training and Experience Evaluation

The **SENIOR LANDSCAPE ARCHITECT, CALTRANS** examination is being given on a Departmental Promotional basis. This examination will consist solely of this self-assessment Training and Experience (T&E) Evaluation.

This T&E Evaluation is designed to elicit a range of specific information regarding each candidate's knowledge, abilities, and experience to effectively perform the duties relative to the classification. Candidates are responsible for reading all of the material provided prior to completing this evaluation. Responses will be evaluated using predetermined rating criteria. In order to obtain a position on the eligible list, a minimum rating of 70% must be attained. Please answer questions completely since incomplete responses and omitted information cannot be considered and/or assumed. *Resumes, letters of reference, and other materials* will not be evaluated or considered as responses to items in the T&E Evaluation.

NOTE: Failure to meet the entrance requirements and/or to complete this evaluation accurately will result in elimination from this examination. *Candidates who fail to follow the instructions and/or* <u>who</u> <u>solicit input or assistance from others to complete this evaluation</u> will be eliminated from the examination.

IT IS IMPORTANT THAT YOU RETAIN A COPY OF THIS T&E EVALUATION FOR YOUR RECORDS. Caltrans will <u>NOT</u> provide you a copy of your T&E Evaluation.

THIS AFFIRMATION MUST BE COMPLETED

I hereby certify and understand that the information provided by me (without assistance from others) on this Training and Experience Evaluation is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and contains no willful misrepresentation or falsifications. I understand this information may be verified. I also understand that if it is discovered that I have made any false representations, I will be removed from the examination process, removed from the list resulting from the examination, may not be allowed to compete in future examinations for State employment, and may be subject to prosecution for misdemeanor or felony offenses under California law. Additionally, State employees may have adverse action taken against them up to and including dismissal.

SIGNATURE:

DATE:

NAME (PRINT):

The completed Training and Experience Evaluation <u>and</u> Standard State Application (STD.678) must submitted electronically to <u>https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/SeniorLandscapeArchitect</u> or be <u>mailed</u> or personally hand delivered to:

EXAMINATION TITLE: SENIOR LANDSCAPE ARCHITECT, CALTRANS

File by Mail: Caltrans Examination Services (MS 86) P.O. Box 168036 Sacramento, CA 95816-8036

File in person: Caltrans Examination Services (MS 86) 1727 30th Street, 1st Floor Sacramento, CA 95816

Facsimile (FAX) or electronically mailed (e-mailed) T&E Evaluations <u>will not</u> be accepted.

Failure to submit your T&E Evaluation will result in <u>elimination</u> from the examination process.



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CONDITIONS OF EMPLOYMENT

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8TR45 CANDIDATE NAME - (PLEASE PRINT - (Last Name, I	 First Name, Middle Initial)
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If you are successful in this examination, your name will location you select and referred to fill vacancies according	
PLEASE CHECK THE BOX NEXT TO THE DISTRICT(S) WHERE YOU WISH TO WORK.
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PART I - EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

Instructions: Please describe your work experience (including internships or any unpaid educational activities) as it relates to the **SENIOR LANDSCAPE ARCHITECT, CALTRANS** classification. Begin with your most recent position. The **EXPERIENCE CODE** will be used in <u>Part II</u> to identify where you worked. You may include additional pages if necessary.

EXPERIENCE CODE A

Company / State Agency:	Job Title:	
Employer Location: City:	State:	
Dates of Employment: From:	To:	
Supervisor:	Telephone Number:	
	EXPERIENCE CODE B	
Company / State Agency:	Job Title:	
Employer Location: City:	State:	
Dates of Employment: From:	To:	
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Employer Location: City:	State:	
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Supervisor:	Telephone Number:	
	EXPERIENCE CODE D	
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Employer Location: City:	State:	
Dates of Employment: From:	To:	
Supervisor:	Telephone Number:	

PART II – WORK EXPERIENCE

INSTRUCTIONS

- Step 1: In the *Education/Experience Code* column, use the codes from <u>PART I</u> of this questionnaire to indicate where you performed the activity and/or acquired the task or knowledge. You may list more than one code per item, if applicable.
- Step 2: For each item listed on pages 5 16, place an "X" in the column(s) that most accurately represents the <u>Level of Knowledge and Experience</u> you have <u>AND</u> the <u>Amount of Time</u> your experience represents.

SAMPLE

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1	Applying pri	inciples of landscape architecture to transportation projects					
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2	Performing	large scale site analysis and strategic planning					
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3	support sus	owledge of landscape maintenance procedures and techniques to tainable roadsides					
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4	Implementir	ng principles of program and project management					
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5	Implementi	ng principles of project resource budgeting and cost control					
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6		all phases of project development including familiarity with project d project approval documents					
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7	Developing	and administering construction contracts and documents (e.g., plans, ns, estimates, contract change orders, claims, etc.)					
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8		projects to comply with Federal (NEPA) and State (CEQA) tall policies and procedures					
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9		tasks requiring knowledge of the cultural requirements of native and plant materials					
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10	Incorporatir	ng design features and roadside treatments to improve worker safety					
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12	Incorporatir	ng design features to reduce soil erosion and improve storm water quality					
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13		andform and / or contour grading plans to integrate with the surrounding	_ x q	_ <u>~</u> <u>~</u> <u>~</u>	_ ~ d	- = ⊼ ʊ	_ x v
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14		projects with Complete Street features to ensure safe and comfortable all users (pedestrians, bicyclists transit riders and motorists)					
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16		of aesthetics to improve visual quality and enhance livability of g communities					
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19		employee performance utilizing various tools and techniques (e.g., one-evelopmental plans, performance reviews, annual assessments, etc.)					
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20	Acting as a developmen	subject matter expert to develop guidance materials or training for project at staff					
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